Amendment No. 1 to SB3003

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 3003*

House Bill No. 3428

By deleting the amendatory language of SECTION 2 and substituting instead the following:

Failure to pay the administrative fee assessed by the court shall not reduce or in any way affect the rendering of services by court-appointed counsel; provided, however, that the defendant's willful failure to pay the fee may be considered by the court as an enhancement factor when imposing sentence if the defendant is found guilty of criminal conduct, and may also be considered by the court as evidence of the defendant's financial responsibility, or lack thereof, in a determination of the best interest of the child.